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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☒ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 130.

- ☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:
- ☐ missing.
- ☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$_____ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

- ☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$_____ for _____ total claims over 20.

\$ _____ for _____ independent claims over 3.

\$_____ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

- ☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing or unsigned.
☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1. 63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

- ☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).
- ☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.
- ☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

- ☐ 9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Dean R. Shacklett et al.

United States

Application No: 09/349,737

Filing Date: July 8, 1999

For: FABRIC PADS WITH A PRINTED DESIGN
AND A METHOD OF MAKING FABRIC
PADS WITH A PRINTED DESIGN



Group Art Unit: 1771

Examiner:

Attorney

Docket No.: 99-40132-US

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated August 6, 1999

Applicant submits the following documents in connection with the above-identified application:

1. A copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application dated August 6, 1999;
2. A Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by each of the inventors;
3. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c))
- SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN;
4. A check made payable to the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks in the amount of \$65.00 in payment of the missing parts surcharge; and

5. A copy of the inventors' assignment of the invention to National Label Company, executed in six (6) counterparts and a Recordation Form Cover Sheet, the original of which is concurrently being filed with the Assignments Branch.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the enclosed amount or credit any overpayment to deposit account #18-0586

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to The Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on August 20, 1999

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Name of Applicant, Assignee or Reg. Rep.

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August 20, 1999
Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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